

of either county to take or catch oysters beyond the middle of the dividing channel; provided, that nothing in this section shall be so construed as to prevent the citizens of Queen Anne's and Kent Counties from using the waters of Chester River in common, or the citizens of Dorchester and Wicomico Counties from using the waters of Nanticoke River in common, or the citizens of Queen Anne's and Talbot Counties from using the waters of the Wye River and the mouth thereof in common, or the citizens of Dorchester and Talbot Counties and bona fide residents of the Fourth Election District of Caroline County who shall have resided in said district not less than one year next preceding from using the waters of the Choptank River in common; provided, however, that the County Commissioners shall be authorized to give special permission to any woman who has no visible means of support to take and catch oysters without license. Provided, that the open season for the taking or catching of oysters in the Tred Avon River and the tributaries in Talbot County shall be from the first day of September to the fifteenth day of April, each year, both dates inclusive.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That all laws or parts of laws inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, be and the same are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1933.

Approved April 21, 1933.

CHAPTER 516.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Section 61B of Article 72 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1924 Edition), title "Oysters," sub-title "Patuxent—Potomac—Choptank," (as said section was enacted by Chapter 222 of the Acts of 1931), relating to the catching or taking of oysters in the Choptank River and its tributaries.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 61B of Article 72 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1924 Edition), title "Oysters," sub-title